

HEWLETT-PACKARD COMPANY
Intellectual Property Administration
P. O. Box 272400
Fort Collins, Colorado 80527-2400

08-03-01

PATENT APPLICATION

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 10008031-1

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Patent Application Transmittal Letter

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is a(n): Utility Design

original patent application,
 continuation-in-part application

1C971 U.S. PRO
09/02/2001
08/02/01

INVENTOR(S): Gary G. Stringham

TITLE: Computer System and Method for Increased Processing Power by Communicating With Non-Computer Devices

Enclosed are:

- The Declaration and Power of Attorney. signed unsigned or partially signed
 5 sheets of drawings (one set) Associate Power of Attorney
 Form PTO-1449 Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449
 Priority document(s) (Other) Return Postcard (fee \$ _____)

CLAIMS AS FILED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY				
(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) TOTALS
TOTAL CLAIMS	27 — 20	7	X \$18	\$ 126
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6 — 3	3	X \$80	\$ 240
ANY MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS	0		\$270	\$ 0
BASIC FEE: Design (\$320.00); Utility (\$710.00)				\$ 710
TOTAL FILING FEE				\$ 1,076
OTHER FEES				\$
TOTAL CHARGES TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT				\$ 1,076

Charge \$ 1,076 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any over payment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, 1.19, 1.20 and 1.21. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

"Express Mail" label no. EL707799615US

Date of Deposit August 2, 2001

I hereby certify that this is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

By Christine A. Jaszkowski
Typed Name: Christine A. Jaszkowski

Respectfully submitted,

Gary G. Stringham

By Christopher P. Moreno

Christopher P. Moreno

Attorney/Agent for Applicant(s)
Reg. No. 38,566

Date: August 2, 2001

Telephone No.: (312) 609-7797